I do not publish these observations with the idea that they are sufficiently numerous to establish any general law on the subject for this country, but because my avocation here does not permit me to extend them, and in the hope that some one who may hereafter travel through the Bikaní country may be induced to take up the subject, for there alone can any considerable depth beneath the surface be attained.
P. S.-Lieutenant Tremenheere, of the Engineers, in leaving this on the Shekawatti campaign, had the kindness to promise that he would make some observations on the temperature of the deep wells that lay in his route, and this he has performed with great zeal and assiduity. He has now placed the results he obtained in my hands, and I have drawn up the following abstract of them:

| No. of Wells observed. | Depth. | Aver. Temp. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 13. | 40 to 80 feet. | $78^{\circ}$ |
| 6.... | 80 to 120 | $79^{\circ} \cdot 4$ |
| 4. | 120 to 140 | $81^{\circ}$ |

These observations were made throughout a large tract of country lying between 28 and $26^{\circ}$ N. Lat. and 78 to $76^{\circ}$ E. Long. And the time of the year in which they were made was from the 26th October to the 28 th February. The mean temperature of the year for the surface may be reckoned at $i 5^{\circ}$, if, as stated by Lieut.-Col. Oliver, that of Dehli be $78^{\circ} .4$.

I see that in the above paper on this subject I have misquoted this same datum of Colonel Oliver's, calling it $76^{\circ}$. I took the number carelessly from the wrong column, owing to its suiting so well to Dr. Royle's observations at Seháranpur, who makes the mean of that place, I believe, $73^{\circ}$. 5. One or other of the two observations must now be rejected.


[^0] by reflection. This was modified or obviated in the subsequent months.

Mean temperature at $10 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$. and $10 \mathrm{P}, \mathrm{m} .69^{\circ} 1$.
Bar. at 4 P. M. compared with $10 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$.
Bar. at 4 p. M. compared with 10 P. m.
Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least. ( 18 obsns.) $-0.073-0.212+0.040$ ( 18 obsns.) $-0.048-0.210+0.01_{4}$ Therm.
Bar. attd. detd.
July, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25 observations at 10 A. m. $23.896 \quad 69.9 \quad 67.5$
13 , $\quad$ at 4 P. M. $23.830 \quad 69.2 \quad 68.5$ $28 \quad$ " at 10 P. м. $23.879 \quad 69.6 \quad 67.2$
Mean temperature at 10 A. M. and 10 p. M. 67035.
Bar. at 4 P. M. compared with $10 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$. Bar. at $4 \mathrm{P} . \mathrm{m}$. compared with 10 P. M.
Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least.
( 12 obsns.)-0.05b $-0.112+0.032$ (12 obsns.) $-0.043-0.104+0.062$
Therm.
Bar. attd. detd.
August, .................... 25 observations at 10 A. M. 23.917 69.1 68.5
19 at 4 р. M. 23.864 68.3 67.5
$28 \quad$ " at 10 A. M. $23.900 \quad 68.9 \quad 66.4$
Mean temperature at 10 A. M. and 10 P. M. $67^{\circ} 4$.
Bar. at 4 P. M. compared with 10 A. m. Bar. at 4 P. m. compared with 10 P. M.
Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least.
( 17 obsns.) $-0.060-0.090-0.022$ ( 16 obsns.) $-0.023-0.066+0.018$ Therm.
Bar. attd. detd.
September, . . . . . . . ...... . 25 observations at 10 A. M, 23.994 $\quad 67.7 \quad 67.2$ 13 at 4 P. M. 23.918 67.5 66.8 24 , at 10 P. M. $23.960 \quad 68.1 \quad 65.5$
Mean temperature at $10 \mathrm{~A} . \dot{\mathrm{m}}$, and 10 P. M. $66^{\circ} 35$.
Bar. at 4 P. m. compared with 10 A. M. Bar. at 4 P. m. compared with 10 p. M. Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least. ( 12 obsns.) $-0.064-0.106+0.006$ ( 11 obsns.) $-0.031-0.086+0.036$ Bar. T. attd. detd.
October, . . . . . . . . . . . . . 23 observations at 10 A. M, 24.084 61.5 62.2
$19 \quad, \quad$ at 4 p. M. $24.012 \quad 61.5 \quad 61.96$ 20 at 10 P. M. 24.050 $\quad 61.8 \quad 58.63$
Mean temperature at 10 A . M. and 10 p. m. $60^{\circ} 41$.
Bar. at 4 P. M. compared with $10 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$.
Bar. at 4 P. м. compared with 10 P. M. Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least.
( 17 obsns.) $-0.072-0.140-0.032$ ( 16 obsns.) $-0.043-0.128-0.008$ Note.-From the 2nd to the 9 th, no observations taken.

Bar. T. attd. detd.
November 1st to 21st. .. 17 observations at 10 A. M. $24.158 \quad 57.5 \quad 57.4$ 10 , $\quad$ at 4 P. M. 24.104 57.6. 56.4 19 , at 10 P. M. 24.128 57.8 53.9 Mean temperature at $10 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$. and 10 P. M. $55^{\circ} 6$.
Bar. at 4 p. M. compared with 10 A. m. Bar. at 4 P. M. compared with 10 P. M.
Mean diff. greatest. least. Mean diff. greatest. least.
(9 obsns.) - $0.052-0.074-0.026$ ( 10 obsns.) $-0.034-0.058-0.014$ Mean of the mean temperatures from 15 th May to 21 st November, $66^{\circ} 17$.

Height of Caineville, by comparisons with Calcutta Barometer.
By mean of 80 observations at 10 A. m. from 16 th May to Above Calcutta. 3ist August, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . feet 6287.5
By mean of 49 observations, at 4 P. m, do. do. .. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6285.9
By mean of 30 ditto, at 10 P. m. July to August, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6274.7
Mean, 6282.7
By 61 observations, Caineville above Seharanpur, . . . .............. 5 5346.7
Seháranpur above Calcutta, ............................................ 1012.3


[^0]:    * I think that the temperature at 10 A . M. and 4 P. M. was considerably raised

